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For: HOLLOW NANOPARTICLES HAVING MODIFIED CYSTEINE
RESIDUE, AND DRUG USING THE HOLLOW NANOPARTICLES

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STATUS INQUIRY

An application was filed on December 28, 2004. However, since then applicant has not received any Official Action from the Patent Office regarding the application. Inquiry is made as to when an Action will be forthcoming.

Respectfully submitted,

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